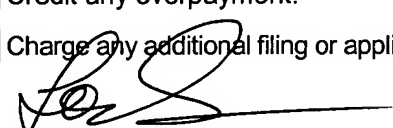
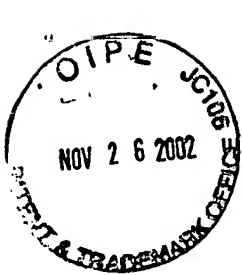


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Invention: METHOD TO ALTER CHALCOGENIDE GLASS FOR IMPROVED SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS					
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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S.  
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In the Claims

Please amend claims 12, 23, 35-36, 40-44, 46-51, and 58-59.

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12. (Amended) The method of claim 11 wherein said step of processing  
comprises heating said silver-germanium-selenide glass to a temperature at or slightly below  
a thin-film glass transition temperature of said silver-germanium-selenide glass.

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23. (Amended) The method of claim 21 wherein said step of annealing  
comprises the step of heating said metal containing resistance variable material to a